Tuesday Marks Opening of Cleveland's "Bigger and Better" Fair, Continuing All This Week

Late News

totton seed, ton, wagon

Generally Fair

Weather forecast for North Caroina: Fair in interior and cloudy or Monday; Tuesday generally

Feared Acid

By UNITED PRESS

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.-Captain Robert Wilmot of the burned Morro Castle, who died of heart disease before the great marine disaster occurred, locked himself in his cabin about sixteen hours before the fire because he feared George L. Algana, second radio operator, would throw acid on him. This was revealed at the investigation this morning.

Kidnap Case Goes To Jury

By UNITED PRESS NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The case of Bruno Richard Hauptmann, who Lindbergh baby kidnaping, went before a Bronx county grand jury today while police sought to complete evidence linking him with the chief speech of the day, and both the kidnaping and murdering that was notable for brevity. of Charles Lindbergh. Jr., last Feb- sounded he keynote of party solidruary. So far, although a wealth of arity. Bynum Weathers, Democratevidence has been unearthed showing that Hauptmann undoubtedly wrote the ransom notes, nothing definite has been advanced to show in the kidnaping or in he murder press his faith in the county as a of the child.

The March Of Events

Preachers Protest

"Excommunication" was charged from many German pulpits yesthe consecration of Reichbishop on trial for its life today and the Ludwig Mueller. Thousands of verdict was—acquittal. German pastors are opposed to the has been abandoned.

Saw Kidnaping

camp yesterdy stoutly maintained allotments under it will be increasthat he was an eye-witness to the ed 10 per cent. Lindbergh kidnaping. He said he The Bankhead law, passed largecould identify Hauptmann as the ly through the efforts of Senator man who did it. He said on the Bankhead, Democrat of Alabama, night of the kidnaping he was who participated in the discussion W. J., and saw two men pulling a lint pound on all cotton sold from kept quiet all this time, he said. 460,251 bales. waiting for the right "break" to tell The measure was the first com-

Overhaul New Deal

New steps to assure an overhau! of New Deal laws which it finds objectionable were mapped today Mr. Willis Will Remodel Room And by industrial leaders through two of its biggest organizations, the United States Chamber of Commerce and the National Association

Shelby Students Get

Shelby school children will get a holiday on Friday to go to the fair will operate in the Royster build-

All other school children in the county, including Kings Mountain, made in the interior of the cafe leigh save little Alleghany joined, have free admission on Tuesday.

LAST CALL For School Subscriptions

The Star will be sent the entire school term of thine months to teachers and students away for school, at the special price of

\$1.75 Cash in Advance

Be Sure To Get In Your Subscriptions Within The Next Few Days.

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SHELBY, N. C. MONDAY, SEPT. 24, 1934

His Tip Led to Arrest of Lindbergh Suspect

Published Monday, Wednesday and Friday Afternoons,

Young Democrats Re-Elect Horn County Chairman

Campaign Opened In This County

Inaugurate Cleveland Campaign With Meeting Saturday, Seeking Party Solidarity.

Declaring for a straight Democratic ticket and wasting no time arguing about issues, members of the Cleveland County Young Democrat Club held a swift and happy meeting here Saturday afternoon, inaugurating the fall campaign in

They re-elected C. C. Horn as chairman, leaving the appointment of a vice-chairman to the discretion of Young Democrat Raymond is charged with extortion in the Powell was named second vicesecretary-treasurer and Cameron Shipp elected publicity man.

James S. Cline, attorney, made corders court, also inveighed against scratched tickets, and Joe Blanton, chairman of the Board of couny commissioners rose to ex-

Bankhead Measure To Stay In Force

Cotton Emergency Not Yet Ended, Administration Rules After A Conference.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.-The terday in response to the news of Bankhead cotton control act went

"The act will not be suspended," Nazi church, which this bishop said Chester C. Davis, AAA adminrepresents, and are elaiming that istrator, after a conference in which the basis of the Christian church Secretary Wallace and congressmen from the cotton states participated. Wallace said virtually the

To help small farmers, who com-A CCC worker at a Virginia plained against the measure ,their

walking along a road in Hopewell. today, places a tax of 5 1-2 cents a small child between them. He's this year's crop in excess of 10,-

his story. He didn't know, on that pulsory crop control legislation, and night, he claims, that he was wit- President Roosevelt had to approve nessing the Lindbergh kidnaping. it publicly before it was passed by

Mrs. Houser Sells Cafe To D. L. Willis

Continue To Operate At The

D. L. Willis has purchased the of Manufacturers. It is claimed Piedmont Cafe at the corner of Lathat existing agencies for relief are Fayette and Warren streets in the operating without proper financial bank building and will continue to name. Mrs. Houser has been operating a cafe here for a number of

Passes To The Fair Mr. Willis recently sold his soda shop in the Royster building but since we drove out liquor." since Mr. Willis has taken charge. was a mandate to every police offi-

PROGRAM FOR COUNTY FAIR The tenth annual Cleveland County Fair opens to-

morrow (Tuesday) morning at 8 o'clock, with the exhibit halls thrown open at 10 o'clock.

Walter Lyle, inset, attendant at a gasoline service

station in New York City, above, has been credited

with giving the tip that led to the arrest of Bruno

Richard Hauptmann as a suspect in the Lindbergh

baby kidnaping and murder. Receiving a forbid-

Racing and free attractions begin each afternoon at 2 o'clock. This includes trotting, pacing and running races, with the free shows interspersed.

The free show, which will be seen from the grandstand, includes: Polly's Revue of 1934, Billy Ritchey's Water Show-beautiful driving acts; Aunt Jemima's Four Pancakes, a comedy act; Frank Stanley's Roman Standing Race, chariot race and push ball on horseback. horses jumping over automobiles and other equine features.

Each night, the free acts will be repeated, beginning at 7 o'clock, followed by fireworks. The evening show will last about two and a half hours.

Judging in all departments begins at 8 A. M. Livestock judging will begin on Wednesday at 10 A. M. The pulling contest will be held Thursday at 4:30, the pony races Wednesday at 4 P. M. and the Horse Show on Friday at 10 A. M.

Webb Grand Jury Charge Upholds N. C. Dry Stand

Federal Judge, Opening Court Here, Says Falls, plaintiff did not receive damages in a negligence suit; M. L. State Most Progressive Since Alcohol Was Outlawed

"Liquor traffic has many defenders but no defense," Federal Judge E. Yates Webb told a Grand Jury this morn- Wellmon, non suit; Robert Goode operate the same under the present ing in a message that augured no boon for Cleveland County vs. M. G. Poteat, non suit: M. H.

"North Carolina has been the the is required before liquor can be against repeal, was a tribute to our with free tickets supplied by the ing. He is a native of the county churches, our children and our Extensive improvements will be which every county west of Ra-

Plenty Of Trouble Encountered By A Patterson Springs Family

that the old adage "trouble never summer with kidney trouble, and attend the Cleveland county fair.

The J. J. Shuford family of Patwidow with all the cares of a large eration. family. Following the death of his To climax the reverses of the althe State Hospital in Morganton. ing her jaw and fracturing her right Lewis.

Both Mrs. Lee Allen, Rt. 2 and hip. She is now a patient in the Mrs. R. H. Ponder of Grover, hospital and it will be several weeks J. W. Putnam, H. Lohr, H. Blan-school or have equivalent or high- is held in \$500 as a material wit- dow again. daughters of Mr. Shuford, have before she will be able to work ton, F. W. Little, S. Lee Taylor, er education. They must present ness and is also charged with rebeen patients in the Shelby hospital again. pletely recovered. Bryan Shuford, optimistic

his condition is not much improved. this morning: Another daughter, Mrs. W. A terson Springs was composed of Randall of Earl, was rushed to the

be several such cases before this court. A curious courtroom looked and widely experienced in business. mothers. That tremendous vote, in around for George Johnson and distributing liquor that, it is alleg- Marines Accept ed, bore counterfeit stamps. The alleged sales were consummated within, a few blocks of the judge's U. S. District Attorney Marcus Erwin of Asheville said he would

He explained that, under the

cer and to every citizen."

esent about 25 bills, which, it is believed, can be disposed of in a Mary E. Costner of 719 LaFayette

seven children until last March Shelby hospital on August 13 where A. Anthony, H. W. Dillinger, Floyd training, it is announced by Major when Mr. Shuford died and left the she underwent a most serious op- Carpenter, G. C. Ellis, G. M. Ed- Louis E. Fagan, officer in charge. wards, (foreman), C. D. Hicks, Dock Hager, G. D. Melton, Robert mount consolidated high school, father, a son, B. R. Shuford, of ready trouble laden family, a cow McNeely, C. M. Carter, Hobart Dal- class of 1934, and Simmons grad- Hill, was given a preliminary hear-Kings Mountain suffered a nervous recently knocked down Mrs. Shu-ton, Fred A. Abrams, E. M. Eaker, uated from the Polkville high ing in Recorders court on Saturbreakdown and is now a patient at ford, mother of the family, break- J. D. Ellis, H. B. Doggett and D. L. school, class of 1933.

Petty Jury Walter L. Moss and J. H. Costner. their home community.

Hauptmann was traced through the license. Seven Non Suits Shelby outfit, serving in Kings Mountain and Cherryville. The Lin-In 14 Judgments From Judge Hill

den \$10 gold certificate from a motorist, Lyle was

careful to jot down the license number of the auto.

Investigation disclosed that the certificate had

been one of the Lindbergh ransom notes, and

Judge Hill Closes Court Barly; Next Term To Be In October.

The September civil term of superior court closed early last week diers on guard duty. with only 14 of the scheduled cases coming up for hearing.

of Murphy the court proceeded with several days. Capt. Morgan, adjutremarkable speed for a civil term ant of the outfit here, said this cases on the calendar which were tion had been received here. In the

Of the 14 cases seven were nonsuited, two were divorces, there were several of little importance and \$6,000 was awarded in the case of Miss Minnie Black, administrator, vs. W. M. Greene.

The next term of superior court will be held the fourth week in October. It was not announced who will preside. It is likely that a number of cases docketed for this month will appear in October when the lawyers have completed their calendar.

Following are the judgments: Enoe vs. Enloe, non suit; Houser vs. Falls, plaintiff did not receive dam-Smith vs. Lem Martin, damage was awarded; Dedmon vs. Patterson, day night by an automobile said to awarded damages in a joint ownership of a hog; Gertrude Champion granted divorce from T. B. Champion; Juanita Camp vs. E. A. Bridges vs. Marcus Beam, awarded \$15; D. A. Beam vs. N. B. Smith. non suit; D. M. Mills vs. Clyde most progressive state in the union new liquor laws, a Federal stamp Smith, non suit; Zonie Williams vs. Travelers Ins. Co., non suit; C. retains his barber shop which he judge said. "And our vote last fall, sold, and intimated that there will D. Weaver vs. Ruth Weaver, divorce; Ralph Bell vs. Mason Rob-

Shelby Recruits

Simmons Are Taking Preliminaries.

few days. Judge Webb announced street, and Glenn M. Simmons, son that a recess will be declared later of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Simmons One Cleveland county family feels of Grover, has been gravely ill all in the week to allow the jurors to of route 5, were accepted for service comes single-handed," must cer- even after treatment at a hospital The following jurors were drawn tember 21st at the Marine office, Tom Webb, W. P. Carpenter, A. Parris Island, S. C., for preliminary

since that time. Neither bee com- In the face of it all, the family is W. Hill. Frank Tate, S. A. Gettys, two business or professional men of ettes in Rock Hill.

Five Others Idle In Shelby Area

Textile Strike Comes To A Close

Two Units Of Soldiers Leave; Two Parades On Saturday; Ten K. M. Mills Running.

of the Cleveland Cloth mill went back to work this morning as a result of the end of the textile strike called off Saturday, following President Roosevelt's request,

Five mills remain closed in Shelby-the Dover and Ora, just west of Shelby, Eton, Shelby and Ella The Byrum Hosiery, Lily thread mill and the Belmont were working last week before the strike ended, with state troops on guard to protect willing workers. Ten of the eleven mills at Kings Mountain continued operation this morning with only the Dilling idle. Double Shoals and Lawndale mills have been operating without interruption although they were visited by "fly-

band soon. Still on duty in this area are the headquarters and service engineers from Charlotte, Company E, infantry and Company K. outfit, serving in Kings colnton cavalry troop departed yesterday, along with a platoon from Company A, 105th Engineers from

quartered in tents at the Lily mill. The camp around the Belmont mill has been abandoned and whatever guard duty is necessary at Belmont and Byrum is supplied from the main base. At the Belmont, the mill management provided shower baths and other conveniences to the sol-

Two Accidents Over Week End crease of approximately 20 percent

Sustain Slight Injuries.

Adam Oates, a youth of the Cur-

day. Something went wrong with the steering mechanism of the car employees. After these were rein which she was riding and the ceived 11 men were appointed by the injuries were received when it ran board to help collect the polls in

Garvice Costner And Glenn

in the U. S. Marine corps on Sep-Post Office building, Savannah, Ga. five young men on whom evidence and transferred to the Marine base, Costner is a graduate of the Alta-

Five hundred and fifty employes

Troopers Still Here

National guardsmen remained at their posts at the Lily, Byrum Hosfery and Belmont mills but will dis-

sired by Bag and Baggage," Ken-Troopers still on guard here are tucky Derbe horse, owned by Ed Henry of Union City, Tenn.; "Aqua Treith" owned by Dr. Lester, of Edgement, South Dakota.

The task of demobilizing the New Ideas Bring greatest peace time army ever call-Conducted by Judge Frank S. Hill ed out in the south—something \$2,518 Potential state as a whole 21 of the 36 units on guard duty have been recalled. Troopers were still on duty this morning at the more heavily populated textile centers-Kings Mountab, Shelby, Gastonia, Belmont,

(Continued on page eight.)

Two slight accidents involving Shelby people occurred over the week end, neither being very ser-

tistown section was struck Saturbe driven by George Noggle during the county treasure box. the parade of the textile workers. He was taken to the Shelby hospital for examination, but was found to have received only slight bruises, Mr. Noggle was not detained as pay poll tax. Accordingly, they at the accident was held unavoidable, once took Mr. Morris' idea and some Miss Hazel Putnam received several scratches on her face and arms Raleigh and applied them. In the as the result of an accident Friday night near Horse Shoe Bend on the asked to list Il their tenants. Then spent Friday night at the hospital Lions Cub was checked for names. but was able to leave early Satur-

Cloth Mill Opens, Arrival Of Midway Show Heralds Fair To Open On Tuesday

Thirty Cars Bring Giant Rides And Colorful Trappings Of Flash Acts; Tents Up And Exhibitions Arranged

All the spangled, tangled panoply of the circus, with the vast painted machinery of the 15 thrill-rides, including the "Rocket," Century of Progress speedster, was unloaded this morning at the Southern depot and the difficult task of transporting it to the Fairgrounds began.

Racing Steeds

Poised To Run

On Fair Track

two standard events which begin

There are four entries each in

one-half furlongs. Entries include

ten of Greensboro: "Waving Star."

Sweet Springs, Va., the three-year-

old "Marine Star," also from Vir-

ginia; the well-known "Blue Boy,"

Addition of the running horses

Poll Taxes 20 Per Cent

Since 1932.

Merely by the use of a few ideas

by the sum of \$2518, or an in-

7,253 Pay.

Commissioners thought it reas

as notential.

daily at 2 o'clock.

That fair, greatest county fair in the whole Southland, will open Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock, the exhibition hall throwing its doors open at 10, and you'll be there.

It's the tenth anniversary of Cleveland's big show, and with the strike all over and everybody happy-especially Dr. J. S. Dorton-it looks as another of those famed atcounty fair this time will be runtendance records will again be ning races in addition to the trotsmashed. The hundred thousand ting and pacing events. The jockeys attendance mark isn't too high a will race their mounts between the

mark to shoot at. The Rubin and Cherry Expos tion, greatest road show of the country, and that's no kidding, the two running races daily of four and publicity man says, brings scoot-the-scooters, the girl show, "Wood Ferry," owned by C. E. Gartwo of 'em, in fact, charming nymphs in tights and flounces, and owned by Dr. B. E. Trayanham of the thrills of acrobats.

Congress Of Daredvvils,

Then there comes Ward Beam's International Congress of Daredevils. They'll crash autom race motorcycles, and hold an ash

can derby On the free list are Billy Ritch le's Water Show, with beautiful diving acs, including a leap into fire and water, Alf's Famous Dogs—the one's that wear horses' heads. And the horse races—you've read all about them. Trotting, pacing

and saddle races twice daily.

And that's a brief review of the carnival attractions. Today the ind tomorrow, with the ho steaming, the place will begin to

smell like a real county fair. As much as Cleveland is inter Increase Potential Revenues From ested in these sensational acts, the real purpose of the fair, the display of produce and husbandry and handicraft of the county, will feten just as many spectators. For th and their practical application, the the prizes are numerous, There's tax collecting agencies of the coun-\$40, and \$30 awards for the ty have increased the potential revenue from poll taxes since 1932 community display, \$35, \$20 and \$15 prizes for the best display of produce grown on a single farm.

In 1932, 5,994 people paid a poll for handiwork and school exhibits tax. In 1933 this figure jumped to What We Grow. 6,597 and by 1934 had jumped to What Cleveland grows, the corn, oats, barley, rye, legun sheaf grain, soy beans, cowp 7,253. This was an increase of 1,259 people who paid two dollars apiece poll tax, giving the above figure sweet potatoes, Irish po County commissioners think all meats, fruits, horses, m of this will not be collected, but you think of anything else?—all expect to collect at least two thirds, these will be in ample display, and which will be about \$1,800 extra for

and any number of individual prize

A feature of this fair not to be gotten is the pony races, onable that there ought to be more one of the most ex than 6000 people in the county to mounts down the big track. others gained at a tax meeting in Down in the livestock exhibition

Raleigh and applied them. In the hall, Guernseys and porkers, built first place all the landlords were and rams, will be displayed, sleek and groomed. old Kings Mountain road. She the city directory issued by the In the ring, some of the finest horses in the south will go through

The last method was to ask all their steps in competition for blu corporations to submit a list of ribbons. long, seating more than 5,000, was declared in readiness this morning

as the last nail in this CWA project was driven home, This afternoon the roar of great trucks out Highway 20 tells in story—everybody's headed for the

Ford Is Stolen With Owner Near

With the owner less than 100 feet away, a thief was bold en Saturday to take a new 1934 model Ford V-8 and get away with it. He to 10,000 fags, and at wholesale had not been apprehended at noon

The car was owned by Bate Blanfrom the office window and open- farmer, and was parked across the

and Stamey caught Earnest. Sisk automobile is 983,304, and the N. C. license number is 449,800.

Police Arrest Five For Stealing 10,000 Cigarettes From Station Chief of Police D. D. Wilkins an-| connected with the robbery, is held

Southern depot on the night August 14.

Howell Lee Foust, 25, of Rock day and held under bond of \$1,000 plicants who are graduates of high ing. His brother, George Foust, 20,

Carl Earnest, accused of being and Howell Lee Foust.

nounced on Saturday the capture of in jail here, Paul Sisk has been released as a witness and Coy Self of Shelby has also been released as a

Seven cases of cigarettes amounts prices, amounts to \$427.

depot by cutting through a screen ing a window. Through the office street in front of the Cle The Marine corps accepts only ap- on a charge of breaking and enter- they entered the freight room, tak- Hardware store. Mr. Blanton was in ing their loot out through the win- front of the store at the time the

Grady Howard, L. F. Smith, George certificates of good character from ceiving and disposing of the cigar- George Foust. Patrolmen Hardin The motor number of the stoler